PRINCE BISMARCK'S RESIGNATION.

LONDON, April 5.—Of course Prince Bismarck's resignation has been the absorbing topic of the week. The great man, like Cardinal Woisey, has fallen, and all Europe resounds with his fall. A woman is at the bettom of it all. In fact the trouble has been the work of several women, and the chief of them is an American, the wife of Count Walderse, a smart, clever lady of about 45, who is credited with great influence over the emperer. It is said, and has been said for a long time, that her influence has tended to make his majesty much more anxions to rule "by the people, far the people," and that as a result Kniser Wilhelm has determined to meet the rise of the Socialistic opinion in Germany by peer and mun popular government. Of course she has had to contest with Bismarck's latred of all things approaching democracy, and it is that he made her, like an energetic woman work against him, at least that is what is said in the higher circles. Then another women, or rather two more, namely Queen Victoria and her daughter, the Empress Prederick, are said to have been working against Bismarck, because he refused to pay back to the Duke of Cumberland the money (S., 609,000) taken by the Prussians in 1886 from his how dead father, the King of Hanover. These are two very powerful women to fight against and their power has helped very materially to overturn. Bismarck, So that as I said before like Wolsey of old he can now go into reirement and think over the great woman question for the rest of his disappointed life.

RE-ORGANIZATION NOT PROBABLE. PRINCE BISMARCK'S RESIGNATION.

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movement to reorganize the interstate commerce railway association, as the Alis-souri Pacific is evidently antagmistic to the movement and the other roads will enter into no agreement in which the Mis-

THE ABILITY TO BEAR PAIN or Comanche to endure the pangs of rheu-matism without wincing. These, indeed, are slight at first, but grow in intensity until they become unbearable. No malady is more obstinute in its maturity than that is more obstinate in its maturity than that which gives rise to them. The more need, then, or attacking it at the outset. Foremost among remedies for it is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, safer and infinitely more effective than colchicum, veratrum and hux vomica, all remedies which might prove destructive of life in a slightly excessive dose. Mineral depurents, also, when not positively mischiceous, are far inferior in remedial power to this salutary botanic in edicine. It entirely expels from the blood the acrid impurities which originate the disease, and enriches as well as cleaness if. Constipation, liver complaint, dyspepsia and other ailments also give way to it.

BILLIARD TOURNAMENT OPENED.

PEARS' is the purest and best soap eves

STRAIGHTFORWARDNESS URGED. New York, April 5.—At the Methodist Episcopal conference today Bishop Good-sell in his address said ministers should

neasures. The liquor traffic was roundly

denounced.

RHODE ISLAND ELECTIONS.

SEVEN NEGROES DROWNED. Vicksburg, Miss., April 5.—A raft containing twenty negroes who were trying to escape from the flood was capsized vester, which is about a yard in length. This timescape from the flood was capsized vester. es ape from the flood was capsized yester day in the mouth of Bogue Falay, the rapid current having carried the Irail craft against a tree. Only thirteen of the crew reached shore alive.

A fact of the 2d deep side on a long tin shelf, which is about a yard in length. This tin shelf has one edge turned up so that the long row of letters may be placed along the shelf in an oven manner.

DOM PEDRO BETTER. CANNES, April 3.—Dom. Pistro, the experience of Brazil, whose serious illness was

COTTRELL'S FINANCES. MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., April 5—A schedule of the condition of C. E. Courell & Co. insolvent barrel manufacturers was filed today. It shows assets \$20,000, habilities \$97,000

Vitality, exhausted by overwork or dis-

KILLED BY POWDER HOUSE EXPLOS-ION.

FRANCE ORDERS TORPEDO BOATS.

CROM Scrofula, which, being beredithry, is the latent cross of Consumption, Catarrh, Less of Sight, Eruptions. and numerous other malalies. To effect a cure, purify the blood with Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Begin early, and persist till every trace of the person is

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suffered for years, and tried various
remedies without effect. Finally, Ayer's
Sarsaparilla gave relief and put me in
my present good healthy condition."—
E. M. Howard, Newport, N. H.

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Ayer's Sarsaparilla,

Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass. Price \$1, six bottles; \$5. Worth \$5 a bottle. | phia Telegrapu.

IN THE TYPE FOUNDRY.

MANUFACTURE OF THE VALUABLE LITTLE PIECES OF METAL.

How One of the Chief Factors in News paper Making Is Produced-The Most Absolute Accuracy and Nicety Required. Wide Range of Size and Style.

The man who reads his morning or evening paper, and has no knowledge of the vast amount of mechanical labor required to turn out a nicely printed sheet, may think that ties production of newspapers is an easy task He is sadly mistaken. It requires much hard and unpleasant labor to make a newspaper The compositors, pressmen, proofreaders, mailing clerks, reporters and editors have their share of work. There is yet another class of workinen who pave the way for ever the compositors. The types, presses, and in-numerable other mechanical devices, which none but a practical printer knows how to put into use, must be made.

The preservative art of printing has undergone many changes since the first types were invented. Even since the first type foundry was established in Cincinnati marvelous changes have been made, and the gentleman who established the first type foundry in this city can tell wonders about the printing

A reporter visited one of the large type foundries of this city yesterday and gathered some information about the little pieces of metal which print the almost countiess letters of a great newspaper. Large type foundries do not confine their work to the making CHEAGO, Ill., April 5.—The committee appointed at the special meeting of the internal presidents last week to report on a form of agreement, adjourned today until April 15.

This will probably be the end of the movement to reorganize the interstate movement to reorganize the interstate with a probably as president as clear and beautiful as pressions almost as clear and beautiful as the significant pressions almost as clear and beautiful as the significant pressions almost as clear and beautiful as pressions almost as clear and beautiful as those produced by the finest lithographing on the track.-New Orleans Picayune.

Then again there are styles so small that the printed letters cannot be made out with the maked eye. Others which are so large that they measure six feet in height. Benn-gaged? Is the test of fortitude among the Indian tiful script letters which look like one's own tribes. But we defy any Cherokee, Sioux handwriting idealized, exquisitely faney styles to suit the different advertisers, and the world knows how many other designs. There are also brass rules, "slugs," "chases, "sticks," etc., all of which are familiar to the

although the molds were filled with molten metal, because when it cooled it would con-CHICAGO, III., April 5.—The billiard tract, and as a result would destroy the clear tournament at Central Music hall, in which Schneffer, Maurice Daly and other celebraties are to participate, opened to might before an andhence of nearly 3,000 people. The evening was devoted to a game between Slosson and Cutton, the former playing 500 points to Catton's 250. Slosson clayed admirably and won with case. metal types."

He showed the reporter one of the primitive

molds used in making type. It is a little de-CHICAGO VS. CLEVELAND.

St. Levis, Mo., April 5.—The Chicago and Cleveland players' league teams opened here today. Cleveland won by hard hitting. Barran and Farrell, Gruber and Brennan were the hatteries, frowning, McAleer and Latham made home runs.' Score: vice about as large as a teacup, and will cast as to nump the molten metal into the mold in an automatic manner. This was a great step, and rendered the molding process much more rapid. Next the automatic device was improved so that two or three molds could be not sit on the fence waiting to make up their minds which way to go. Politicians said one thing and meant another. Meth-odists had no justiness to resort to such method of custing the types is the one so extensively used throughout the country.

In place of that constantly fired out feeling, Ayer's Sursaparilla will give you strength.

THE FINISHING TOUGHES.

When the little, slaning metal letters are first east they are not yet finished. There is a projection on one and reading the strength. THE FINISHING TOUCHES. type itself. As soon as the letters are molded they go to a person who breaks off the pro-PROVIDENCE, R. I., April 5.—Supplementary elections today on the legislatine leaves forty seven Republicans and forty-four Democrats. There are seventeen members yet to be elected and by these the Flances. way over the rough surface of the file, then luck again, all in a second, by the expert "planer." Next the letters go to a person who

another "planer," who, however, does his work much more rapidly than the ones be-fore mentioned. He planes off the lower or reported this morning, revived today and blant end of the letter. The shelf, which is improving. His physician has left for holds at least 500 letters, is placed in a long vise, and then the rough ends of the long row are quickly planed off just as the carpenter planes a piece of wood. One or two movements of the plane is all that is necessarry. The types are now complete and ready for packing and boxing.

This process of turning out the types regets burt in any way, the cats link is and quires the labor of six persons, and although seem to feel sorry for it.—New York Tribune. Vitality, exhausted by overwork or discusse, is quickly restored by use of Ayer's one, is considered too slow by the enterprise ing type maker. A new machine has been recently invented. The rough type metal is own a trunk, and when the red woman has placed in the machine and comes out in the achieved a mountainous Sarstoga and stowed snape of mostly moulded types completely find away in it every article of every description Barrox, N. Y., April 5.—The powder works at Chester were blown up at 2p, m, today. Two men were killed and great damage was done to houses in the vicinity and the Bay Chester railroad station.

Sampe of monity monitod cryps compared in the last three machines are not any larger than a small hand green, but cot \$1.00. Very few These muchines are not any larger than a .-Den't put it off. Now is the time to take of them are used, as they are so expensive. Hand's Sarsaparilla, the popular soring but when they are used types can be made mech chesper than if hand labor is employed. When the types come from the moids they PARIS. April 5.—The government has arriered the construction of thirty torpedo superstances and being ready formers. Fonts of type vary in weight They are then packed and boxed ready for shopment. Fonts of type vary in weight rough as 3,000 pounds. One of the founding

of this city carries as much as \$30,000 pounds if type in stock, and if the types of one of the large papers of the city were to be destroved by live an entirely new sutfit conbe supplied at once, - Cincinstall Times-Star

Eat a Good Supper.

Going to bed with a well filled stomach is the exential prerequisite of refrancing slum ber. The cautions so often reiterated in old medical journals against late appears were pirected chiedy to the bibulous habits of those as that a full stemach is essential to quist repose. Every man who has found it difficult to keep awaise after a hearty dinner his an-awared the problem for himself. There are few arrivals that can be trained to rest until after they are fed.—American Analyst.

Mustaches in Congress The prevailing style of wearing the hair for congressmen is on the upper lip. The first empression on looking at Mr. Reed is 1999 from but, for a fact, he has a mustac arbs. Fully also-tenths of all the mombers of the house wear heir on their upper lips and the fasting is quite common among sen ators If all the mon who have no other hair on their faces except that on their upper lips voted together they could carry any measure by a three-fourthe majority.-Cor. Philadel-



A Rampant Tree.

A woodsman felled a tree on the top of the stain above the Fall Brook company's railroad track, opposite the mouth of Four-Mile run, on Pine creek in Pennsylvania. The tree did not fall as the man intended, but went toppling over the cliff, and slid down the mountain, gaining in speed at every rod. and trimming itself of branches as it went. A freight train was coming up through the gorge and the tree crashed endways through a box car loaded with shalled corn, and went on into the creek. There was a bole the size of the log in the roof and side of the car, and the corn was strewn along the track for some distance. When the log struck the car the shock to the train was so violent that a brake man in the rear car thought it was a collision and jumped off; the car, however, remained

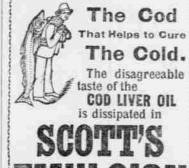
By Chance. Lillie-So Laura McFlyrter is really en-

Larry-Yes. Met her fate in Los Angeles, Quite by chance.

Lillie-Cert. It was a purely Occidental meeting.-Pittsburg Bulietin.

ompositor.

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Ostriches in Trousers. A lady passing a Park avenue residence

investigation proved that the youngsters made regular means off of oyster cans, tacks,

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Barmonious Rats, Cats and Dogs, A Scranton boy has a lot of tame white rate that afford him and the family a good deal of amusement. The dog and cats have been taught not to harm the rats, and often, when the dog is lying on the floor, the rats run out of their cage and crawl uil over him. Sometimes they ride around on his back, and when he doesn't care to carry them any further he kicks up his heels, shakes them off and centers away. The house cats appear to like the white creatures, and whenever a rat gets burt in any way, the cats lick is and

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Notice.

On and after Sunday, April 6, the great Rock Island route trains will arrive and depart at Wichita as follows: Going north and east—No. 2 Colorado Springs, Denver and Pacific coast express daily 8:50 a. m., 9:00 a. m.; No. 2 Kansas City, St. Louis and Chicago through mail and express daily, 8:50 a. m., 9:00 a. m.; No. 4 Kansas City, St. Louis and Chicago night express daily 9:45 p. m., 9:55 p. m.; No. 62 accommodation, daily except Sunday 11:35 a. m., 12:15 p. m. Going south—No. 3 Kansas City, St. Louis and Chicago express daily 6:40 a. m., 7:05 a. m.; No. 1 Kansas City, St. Louis and Chicago through mail and express daily 7:25 p. m., 7:45 p. m.; No. 61 accommodation, daily except Sunday 2:00, 2:30 p. m.

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Mrs. Goodtaste—Oliver & Imboden Co.
Mrs. Newcomer—Who sells it?
Mrs. Goodtaste—All grocers. 116-ff

Grand Army Reunion and Camp Fire. To be held at Great Bend, Kan, April 7 1830. The Santa Fe route will sell room trip tickets at one and one-third fare, 83.33 April 6 and 7, limited for return April 7.

Bids will be received at the office of the Walker Fearn, late United States minister at Athens, states that brigandage no longer exists in Greece. He says that he and his daughter and a few friends, unarmed and without an escort, visited on horseback that without an escort, visited on horseback that commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids. S. DUNKIN, County Clerk.

> Another Reduction via Santa Fe Route, Commencing Tuesday, March 25, the Santa Fe will sell first class limited tickets to Pueblo, Colorado Springs, Denver and intermediate points, at 88.25. Free chair from Newton, Pulliman reservation may be obtained by calling at 122 North Main street, and at new union depot, corner Fifth and Danglos avenues. Fifth and Douglas avenues, 111-1f W. D. MURDOCK, Agent.

Spanish Maid is a long Havana filler and hand made. Try one. CUT WITH THE KNIPE.

And Knocked Out on the Very First Round. The Missauri Pacific railway knocked them all silly when it announced cut rates to St. Louis and Pueblo. Remember, commencing March 7th, cheap rates will go into effect to St. Louis and points beyond, also to Pueblo, Denver

and other western points via the Missouri If you are going east, west, north or south, buy your ticks via the Missouri Pacific railway. It is the shortest line to St. Louis by 48

It is the shortest line to St. Louis by 48 miles and over two hours the quickest. Elegant new reclining chair cars just received from the Pullman Co., on all trains. These chairs are tree to all patorons of the Missouri Pacific railway. Come and get our rates. We are here to stay. City ticket office 137 North Main street. Pepot corner Second and Wichita streets.

Passenger and Ticket Agent, 137 North Main street.

Keep This for Future Reference

A lady passing a Park avenue residence last Saturday afternoon saw two hearty and muscular looking youngsters of anywhere from 8 to 6 years of age eating dirt with pieces of shingle nails and gravel mixed with Leaving Wichita at 9:15 p. m. you arrive at 1.2 and 1.2 and 1.3 and 2.3 and 2.4 and it. She rushed into the house to inform the mother of the enfants terribles of the situation, but was cheerfully informed that it the nails were not rusty they wouldn't hurt the children because they were used to it. nails were not rusty they wouldn't nurs the children because they were used to it. "Why," said she, "they live on tacks." An investigation proved that the youngsters made regular meals off of oyster cans, tacks, gravel and dirt, and were never sick a day through solid to Kansas City to St. Louis, to their lives —Minneapolis Tribune. through solid to Kansas City to St. Louis. It is the shortest line by forty-eight miles and two hours the quickest. Two trains daily to St. Louis and all points east. Ticket office 137 North Main street. Depot corner Second and Wichita streets. E. E. Bleckter. Passenger and Ticket Agent, 137 North Main street, Wichita, Kan. H. C. Townsend.

Emigration to the West, If you have friends in the east, who con-template coming west, or if you are going east, remember you can save time and money, likewise your friends, by buring money, likewise your friends, by buying tickets over the Alissouri Pacific railway, the shortest line between St. Louis gall Wichita by 48 miles and over. Two hours the quirkest time. This is the only line giving you choice of two routes, either via Kansas City or Fort Scott. Elegant free reclining chair cars between Wichita and St. Louis, also between Kansas City and Wichita, without change of cars. Pullman sleepers on all trains. Be sure that your tickets read via the Missouri Pacific milway and thus save annoyance of changing cars and unnecessary delays.

Bemember also that no charges are mide by porters for raining in chair cars. These porters are paid by the company and are not allowed to charge any one, be they load or through passengers. They are hired to attend to the wants of the traveling pacific. ing public.
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Free Rectining Chair Car Service to Denver and Return, via the Santa Fe Route.

The Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe are now running daily free rectining chair cars on their night train to Denver. Passengers leaving Wichita at 4:30 p.m., will arrive at Pueblo for breakfast the next morning, Colorado Springs at 10:30 a.m., and Denver for dinner. In addition to free reclining chair car service Pullman reservation may be had upon application at union ticket office and union depot.

W. D. MURDOCK, diel tf Pass, and ticket agent.

diol tf Pass, and ticket agent. Advice to Mothers.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup should always be used for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allwys all pain, cures wind celle, and is the best remedy for diarrhoa. Twenty fivecants a child of wall of the wall of bottle

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Those in correspondence with friends in the east who contemplate visiting Wichita on business or pleasure in the near future, should be advised of the series of homeseekers excursions to be run by the popular Frisco line from St. Louis to Wichita on April 28, May 20. September 9, September 33 and October 14, 1892.

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